

## Assembly

### Record of Committee Proceedings

#### **Committee on Energy and Utilities**

##### **Assembly Bill 235**

Relating to: exception from local levy limits for political subdivisions receiving certain utility aid payments.

By Representatives Kerkman, Snyder, Spiros and Steffen; cosponsored by Senator Wanggaard.

May 23, 2019            Referred to Committee on Energy and Utilities

May 28, 2019            **Public Hearing Held**

Present:     (15)    Representative Kuglitsch; Representatives Steffen, Sortwell, Petersen, Tauchen, Tranel, Oldenburg, Petryk, Neylon, Vorpapel, B. Meyers, Crowley, Subeck, Stuck and Fields.

Absent:      (0)      None.

Excused:    (1)      Representative Rodriguez.

##### Appearances For

- Rep. Samantha Kerkman - Wisconsin State Assembly
- Nathan Thiel - Village of Pleasant Prairie
- Gary Olsen - Village of Rothschild
- Jim Wilkie - City of Alma
- Jolene Plautz - Wisconsin Utility Tax Association

##### Appearances Against

- None.

##### Appearances for Information Only

- None.

##### Registrations For

- Chris LaRowe - WEC Energy Group
- Sen. Van Wanggaard - Wisconsin State Senate
- Kyle Christianson - Wisconsin Counties Association
- Jim Boullion - RENEW Wisconsin
- Curt Witynski - League of Wisconsin Municipalities
- Kelly McDowell - Wisconsin Counties Utility Tax Association
- Jerry Derr - Wisconsin Towns Association
- Kathy Goessl - Village of Pleasant Prairie

Registrations Against

- None.

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

June 04, 2019

**Executive Session Held**

Present: (14) Representative Kuglitsch; Representatives Steffen, Rodriguez, Sortwell, Petersen, Tauchen, Petryk, Neylon, Vorpapel, B. Meyers, Crowley, Subeck, Stuck and Fields.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (2) Representatives Tranel and Oldenburg.

Moved by Representative Vorpapel, seconded by Representative Steffen that **Assembly Bill 235** be recommended for passage.

Ayes: (13) Representative Kuglitsch; Representatives Steffen, Rodriguez, Petersen, Tauchen, Petryk, Neylon, Vorpapel, B. Meyers, Crowley, Subeck, Stuck and Fields.

Noes: (1) Representative Sortwell.

PASSAGE RECOMMENDED, Ayes 13, Noes 1

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Garrett Huffman  
Committee Clerk